



# Friday 20<sup>th</sup> October 2023

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3rd Nov: PTA Bonfire

Night

30th Oct - 10th Nov: Y6

Bikeability

8<sup>th</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup> Nov: Parents'

**Evening** 

13<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup> Nov: Equality

Week & Anti Bullying

Week

17th Nov: Children in Need

20th Nov - 24th Nov: Road

Safety Week

24th Nov: 2RM class

assembly

24th Nov: PTA Christmas

Movie Night

1st Dec: 1CK assembly

1st Dec: PTA Christmas

Raffle Draw

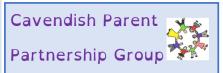
## What a BRILLIANT first half term!

It's been a very busy first half term and we wish all our families a relaxing half term.

Thank you for all your support and we look forward to all the BRILLAINT learning, events and FUN next half term will bring.







We will be holding our first Parent Partnership Group meeting after half term.

If you are interested in joining the group take a look at our website for more information and get in touch...

https://www.cavendish.manchester.sch.uk/page/parent-partnership-group/136056

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### Show Racism the Red Card

We showed our value of EQUALITY whilst standing against RACISM today.

Show Racism the Red Card is a wonderful organisation that campaigns and educates against racism.

We all dressed in red to show our support and understanding.

We also had great discussions about what We can do to eliminate racism.

Find out more here...

https://www.theredcard.org/



Thank you so much for your contributions. All money will go towards our EQUALITY week where we will be marking Anti-Bullying week and exploring why we are all so unique and important.

Payment will remain open on School Gateway if you still wish to contribute.

## Local Community – Withington Baths

Check out the community-stained glass window project our children took part in...

https://www.manchestereveningnews.co.uk/news/local-news/beautifulmanchester-edwardian-pool-close-27895052













Cavendish PTA are already planning for the **Christmas Raffle** on the 1st December and are asking local businesses & companies if they are kindly able to donate prizes.

Do you own your own company, or work for a business that would be able to make a donation? Donations can come in various forms, such as gift certificates, merchandise, services or monetary contributions.

If you are able to help in any way please email us at enquiries@cavendishpta.org.uk letting us know the following:

- 1) The name or contact information of the business or company
- 2) The type of contribution they are willing to provide (e.g. gift certificates, merchandise, services or monetary donations) Or

3) Can you help deliver letters to local businesses in Didsbury village or

Parrswood during half term?















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Manchester Local Care Organisation





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## GROWING BRILLIANTLY

Don't be bored this half term...

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## HOW TO CREATE AN "I'M BORED" JAR

- 1 Find an empty jar. Print the imagination prompts and label. Tape or glue the label to your jar. Cut the imagination prompts into slips and fill the jar.
- Keep the jar where you see it often (e.g., dinner table, desk, etc.)
- Any time you are bored, challenge yourself to complete an imagination prompt. Even if you choose a type of activity you normally don't do, give it a try. You never know; you might find a new way to entertain yourself!

Whenever you're feeling bored, pick a piece of paper from the jar, read it, and choose an imagination adventure!



#### What if your bed was a boat?

Use recycled cardboard to transform your bed into a boat. Then, imagine you are sailing the seas. Where will you go, and what will you discover?



#### What if your yard turned into ayicksand?

Create an obstacle course to get around the yard without falling into the quicksand. Time yourself to see how fast you can travel from one end of the yard to the next. Can you do it in slow motion?



#### . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . What if you were preparing to go to space?

Use cardboard to build a space shuttle and pack a bag with everything you might need in space. Then, when you're ready, blast off. What happens next? Where will your adventure take you?



#### What if you were a chef?

Take out the pots and pans, and cook an imaginary feast. What will you make? Mix up a big imaginary meal and serve it on plates. Who will you dine with? How does it taste?



#### \_\_\_\_\_\_ What if you were a rockstar?

Grab a brush for your microphone and practise singing along to your favourite tunes. Once you've memorized the songs, record them or perform them live for friends and family.



#### What if you could fly?

Use cardboard to build an aeroplane. Then, board your aircraft and imagine you are the pilot flying to a faraway place. Where will you land? What will you discover there?



#### What if you were the size of an ant?

Imagine you have shrunk to the size of an ant. Move around your yard or home just like an ant would. How does the world look and feel from an ant's point of view?



#### What if you built your own city?

Use building blocks or Lego" to build a city. What kind of stores and things will happen in your city? Who lives in your city, and what do they do there?



## What if you had your own store?

Set up your own pretend store with real or imaginary items. What will your store sell? Be sure to price each item and use pretend cash to sell your goods.



#### What if you were a cave explorer?

Use the couch cushions, pillows, and blankets to create a cave. Then, use a flashlight to explore this secret underground place. What will you discover there?



#### What if you were an animal rescuer?

Gather bandages, towels, and pretend medicine to set up an animal rescue. Then, treat each of your stuffed animals for injuries. What types of animals will come to your rescue? How will you help them?



#### What if you hosted a fancy picnic?

Set up your own indoor or outdoor picnic with a blanket, plates and mugs. Invite your dolls or stuffed animals as guests. Remember to use your best manners as you serve your guests.



What if you owned your own theatre? Plan a play or a puppet show. Write the story, create costumes and props and practise until it's just right. Then, perform the show for friends or family,

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## **BRILLIANT CITIZENS**

In this section of the newsletter we hear all about how the children are being **BRILLIANT** citizens!

## Mrs Turner - charity work

Our Year 5/6 TA Amanda Turner is fundraising for Maggie's Centres and she would really appreciate your support. More details are on her JustGiving page.

Maggie's on the Runway is a gala ball to raise money for Maggie's, a charity that provides emotional, practical and financial support to anyone affected by cancer and their families.

For those of you who haven't heard of Maggies, this is a beautiful centre, situated near The Christie hospital (where I had my treatment). It offers emotional, psychological and financial advice to families and patients who have been diagnosed with cancer. It is funded purely by donations.

On Friday 17th November, me and a group of amazing men and women, are taking to the stage for 'Maggies on the Runway' to raise money for this great cause. There will be weeks of rehearsals, styling and choreography to master but at the end of it, we get to meet RICK ASTLEY 😂

You can donate to their JustGiving page by clicking here...

https://www.justgiving.com/page/amandaturner-

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JustGiving sends your donation straight to Maggie's Centres and automatically reclaims Gift Aid if you are a UK taxpayer, so your donation is worth even more.

Thank you for your support!











## **BEING HAPPY**



On Android phones, restricting access to particular apps usually requires going onto Google Play. From there, it's fairly easy to navigate your way through the settings to manage the parental controls and authentications relating to any apps on the device. These features can prevent your child from downloading or buying anything unsuitable for their age. Updated versions of apps or games that your child has already installed may occasionally contain something inappropriate, so we've explained how to stop those, too.



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